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### LOOMIS JOINS EASTERN

CHARLESTON, IL--Jeffrey Loomis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Loomis of Jamestown, N.Y., has joined the faculty at Eastern Illinois University as an Assistant Professor of English.

Eastern Illinois University places priority on teaching excellence for a high quality student body in a residential setting. Approximately 10,000 on-campus students are enrolled in undergraduate and graduate programs. Non-traditional and part-time students are enrolled in programs at both on- and off-campus sites. Eastern offers faculty a wide range of research and public service activities. The University is located in east central Illinois and combines the benefits of a community of 20,000 with access to several large cities, including Chicago, St. Louis and Indianapolis.

Before coming to Eastern, Loomis was an assistant professor for four years at the College of Charleston, South Carolina. Prior to that, he spent three years as an assistant professor at the University of Charleston, West Virginia.

Loomis earned his doctorate in 1980 and his master's degree in 1972 from the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. He received his bachelor's degree in 1969 from Bethel College, St. Paul, Minnesota. He graduated from Jamestown High School in 1965.

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